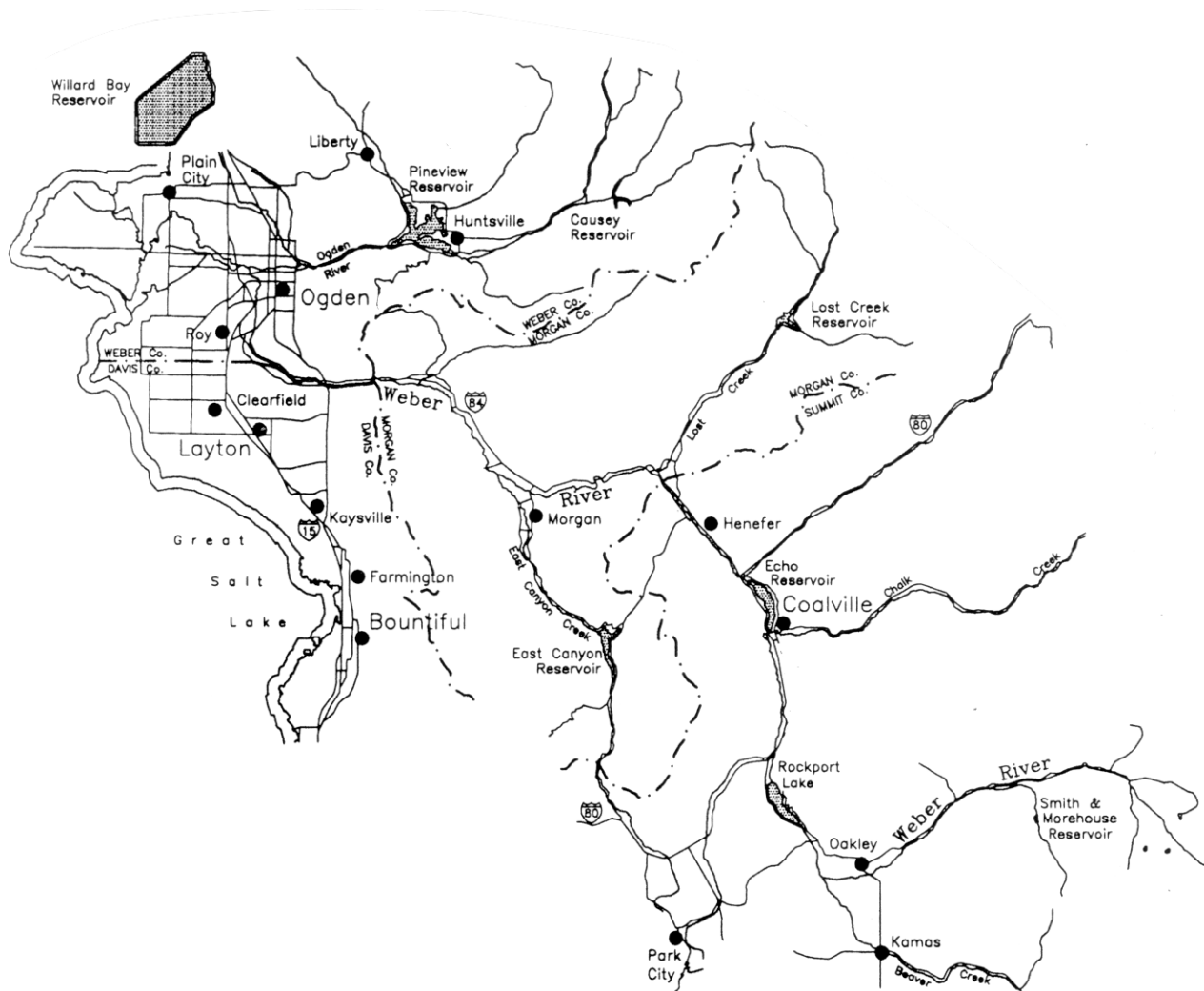


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Foreword

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The *State Water Plan* distributed in early 1990 established the foundation for state water policy. As part of the state water planning process, more detailed plans are prepared for each of the 11 hydrologic basins in the state. The *Weber River Basin Plan* is one of these. This plan covers all aspects of Utah's water resources. It identifies alternative ways to solve problems and meet demands. Final decisions on selecting alternatives to implement will rest with local decision makers.

The *Weber River Basin Plan* will help disseminate valuable water-related public information; encourage community and economic growth; provide opportunity for local, state and federal cooperation; identify water supplies and needs; and promote local involvement in water planning. It will also help achieve the Department of Natural Resources mission to "conserve, protect and develop Utah's natural resources."

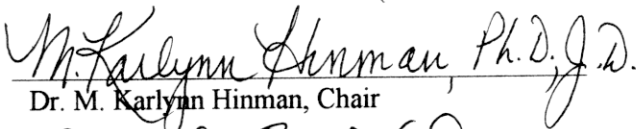
Planning needs the active participation of people who have a stake in how the plan is accomplished. If the voices of local and regional publics are heard in the early stages, broader support can be achieved for actions recommended in the plan.

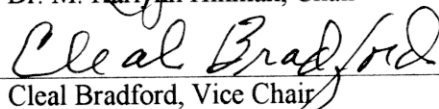
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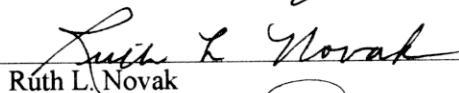
The Board of Water Resources gratefully recognizes the dedicated efforts of the State Water Plan Steering Committee and Coordinating Committee in preparing the *Weber River Basin Plan*. This work was spearheaded by the planning staff in the Division of Water Resources, with valuable assistance from individual coordinating committee members representing state agencies with water-related missions. Their high standards of professionalism and dedication to improving Utah's natural resources base are essential ingredients of this basin plan.

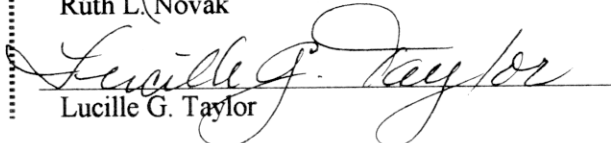
We also appreciate ideas, information and opinions from state and federal cooperating agencies and local and basin planning advisory groups which provided expertise from a broad spectrum of Utah's population.

We sincerely thank those who attended meetings and provided oral and written comments on the plan. In endorsing this plan, as with previous basin plans, we reserve the right to consider water projects on their own merits. This plan is an important guide for water conservation and development in the Weber River Basin. ♦

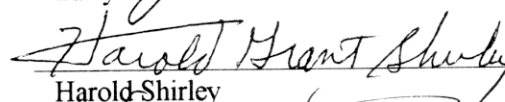

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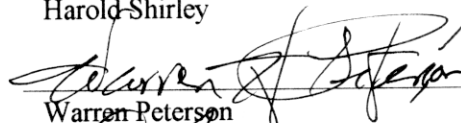

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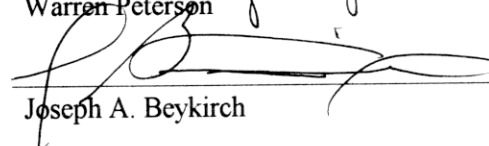

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